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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRD, MTN, GATT, CG
SUBJECT: NEW ZAIRIAN PROTEST OF U.S. EXPORT RESTRICTION
NOTIFICATION

REF: GENEVA 3140

1. SINCE RECEIPT OF REFTEL, EMBOFF HAS HAD SEVERAL MEETINGS WITH MIDDLE LEVEL ZAIRIAN DEPT. OF COMMERCE OFFICIALS AT THEIR REQUEST ON SUBJECT OF THE US NOTIFICATION. EMBOFF EXPLAINED ALONG LINES OF REFTEL THAT SO CALLED COMPLAINT WAS NOT MEANT TO BE A CONFRONTATIONAL ISSUE DEMANDING AN EARLY RESPONSE ON THEIR PART. IN THEIR VIEW HOWEVER, THE ISSUE WAS SOMETHING THAT COULD BE QUIETLY SETTLED BILATERALLY OUTSIDE OF GATT FRAMEWORK. AT LAST SUCH MEETING THERE SEEM THAT LEAST SOME UNDERSTANDING OF US POSITION ON MATTER.

2. MORE RECENTLY THE AMBASSADOR HAS RECEIVED A LETTER FROM THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE REQUESTING BILATERAL DISCUSSIONS ON THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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"COMPLAINT" AND ADVISING THAT WE WILL SOON RECEIVE A RESPONSE TO THE COMPLAINT. LETTER REQUESTS THAT IN THE MEANTIME THE COMPLAINT BE WITHDRAWN.

3. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE GUIDANCE. IN MEANTIME, WE HAVE ACKNOWLEDGED THE MINISTER'S LETTER BY SAYING THAT IT HAS BEEN REFERRED TO WASHINGTON.

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Message Attributes

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Disposition Approved on Date:
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